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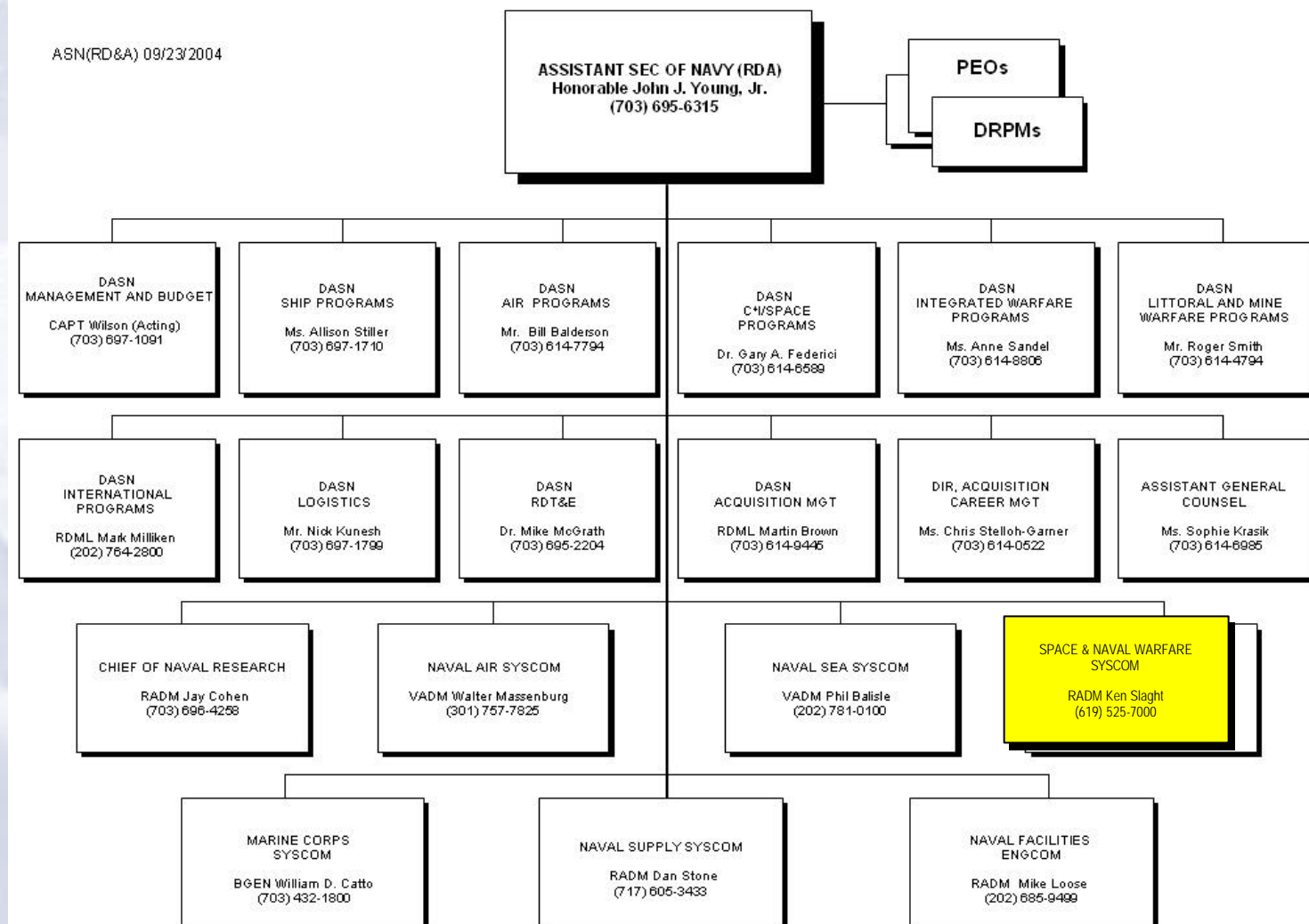
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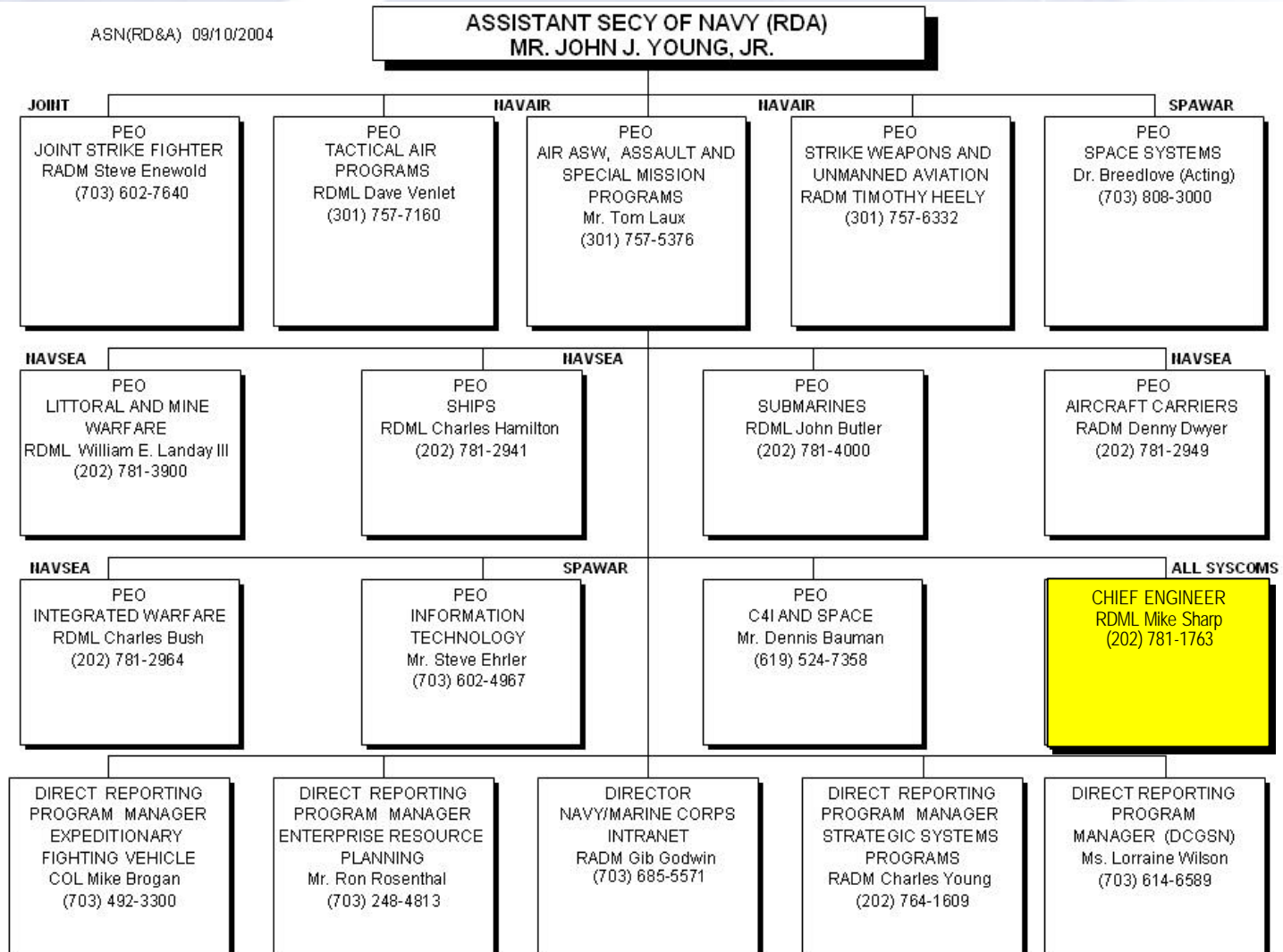
DASN Structure



DASN - Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Navy



PEO / DRPM Structure

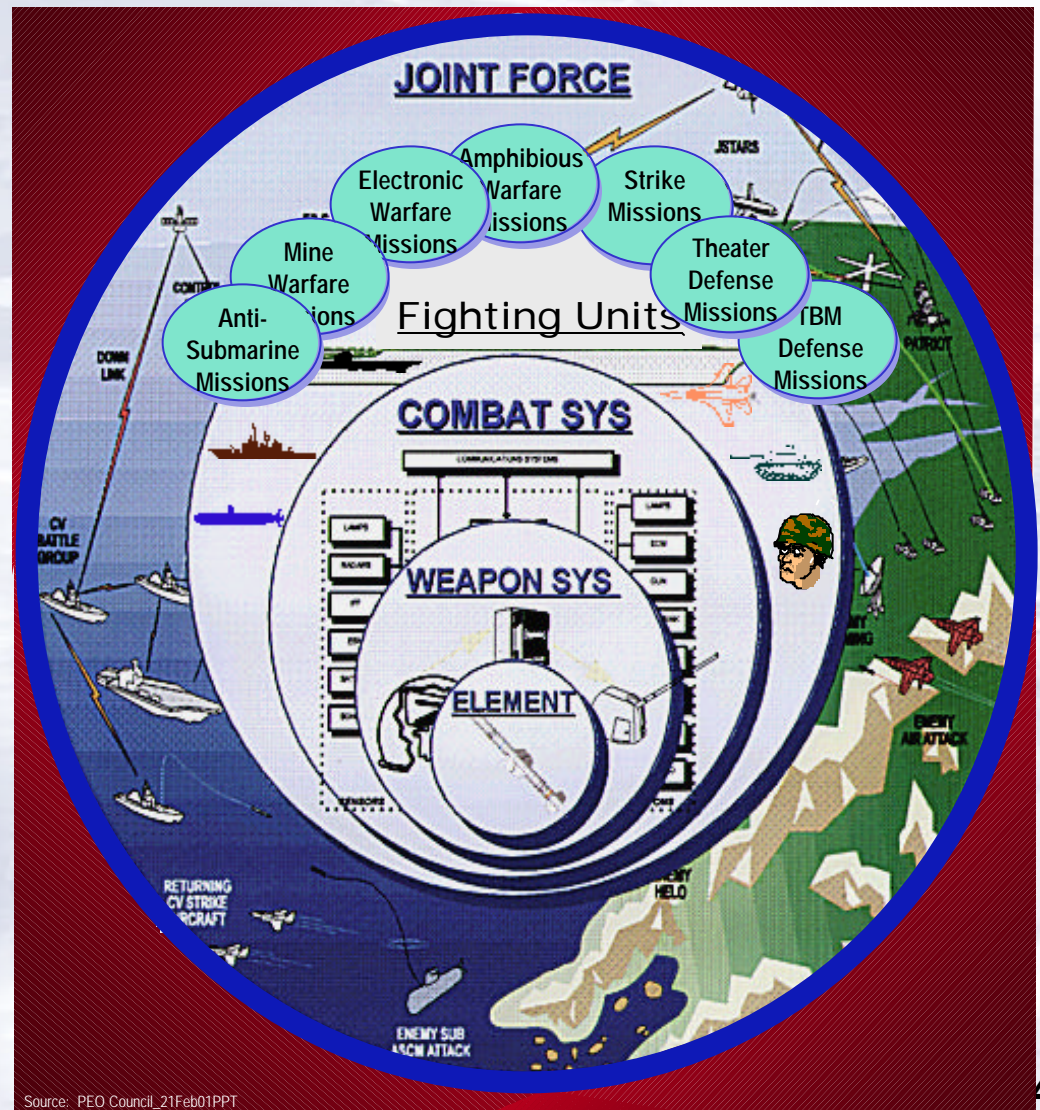




The Objective

System
Engineering &
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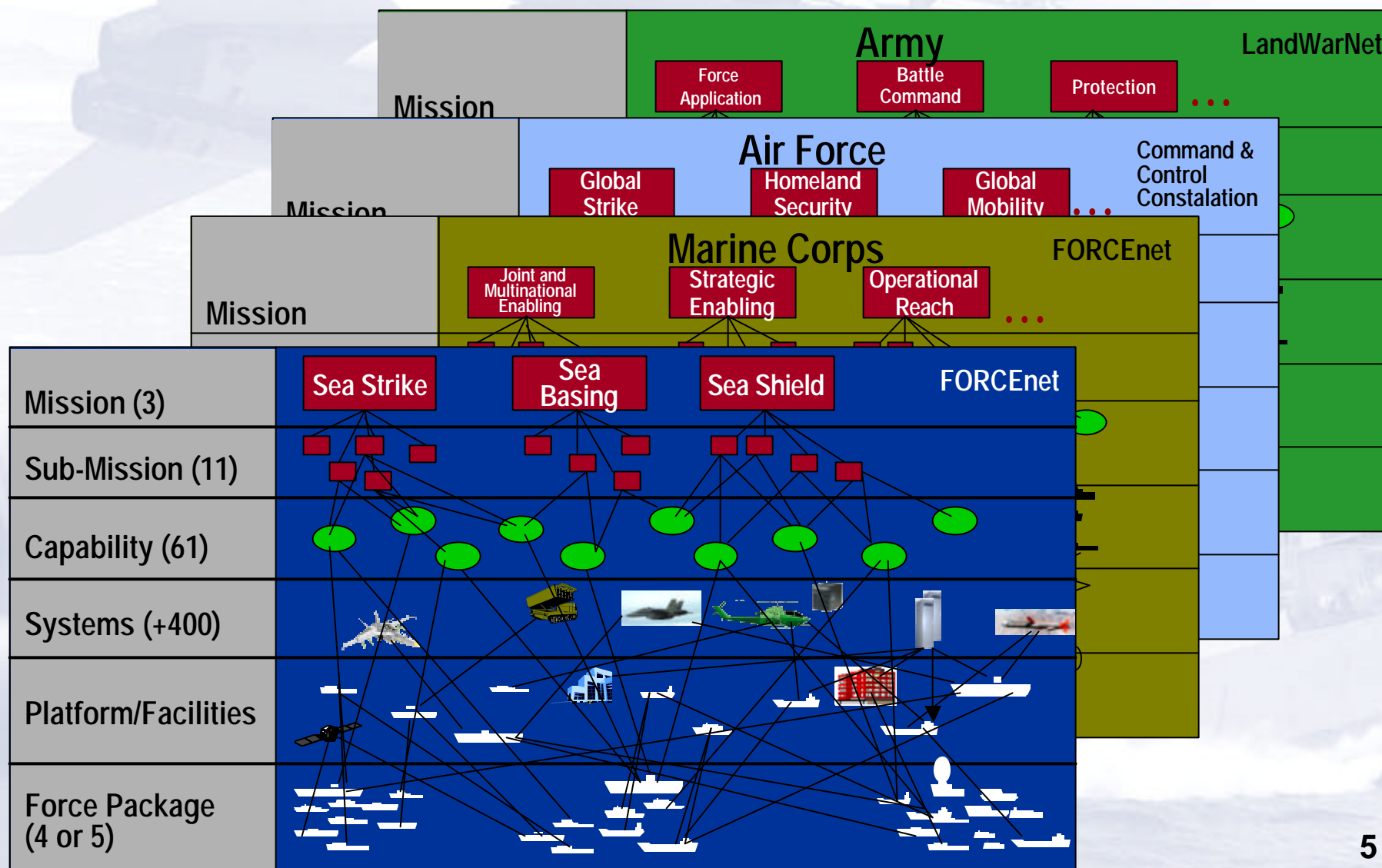
*At
Joint
Force
Level*



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Joint Interoperability Challenge





Agenda

- **Fundamental Elements**
- **Structured for today & tomorrow**
- **The course ahead**



What is FORCEnet?

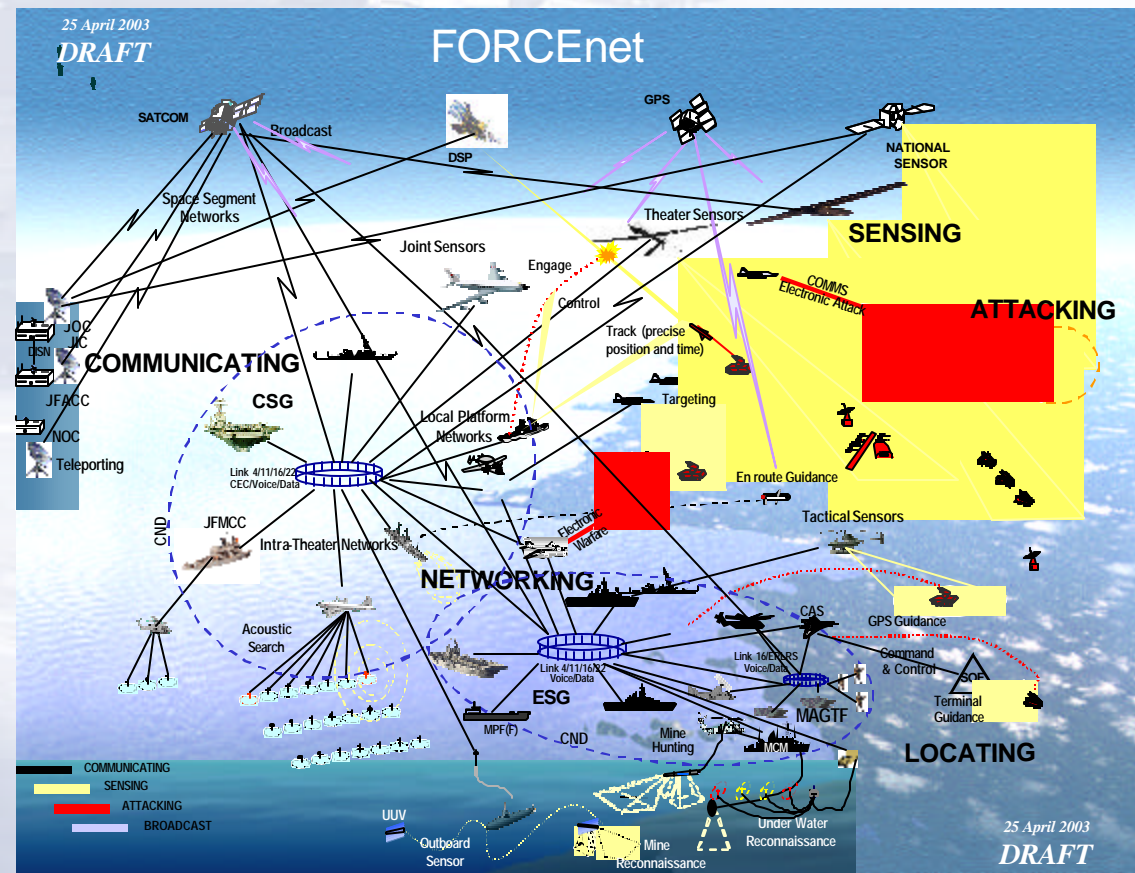
- **Architectural Framework**
 - Aligns and integrates into a single network

- Warriors
- Sensors
- Command & Control
- Platforms
- Weapons

- Globally networked, distributed combat force

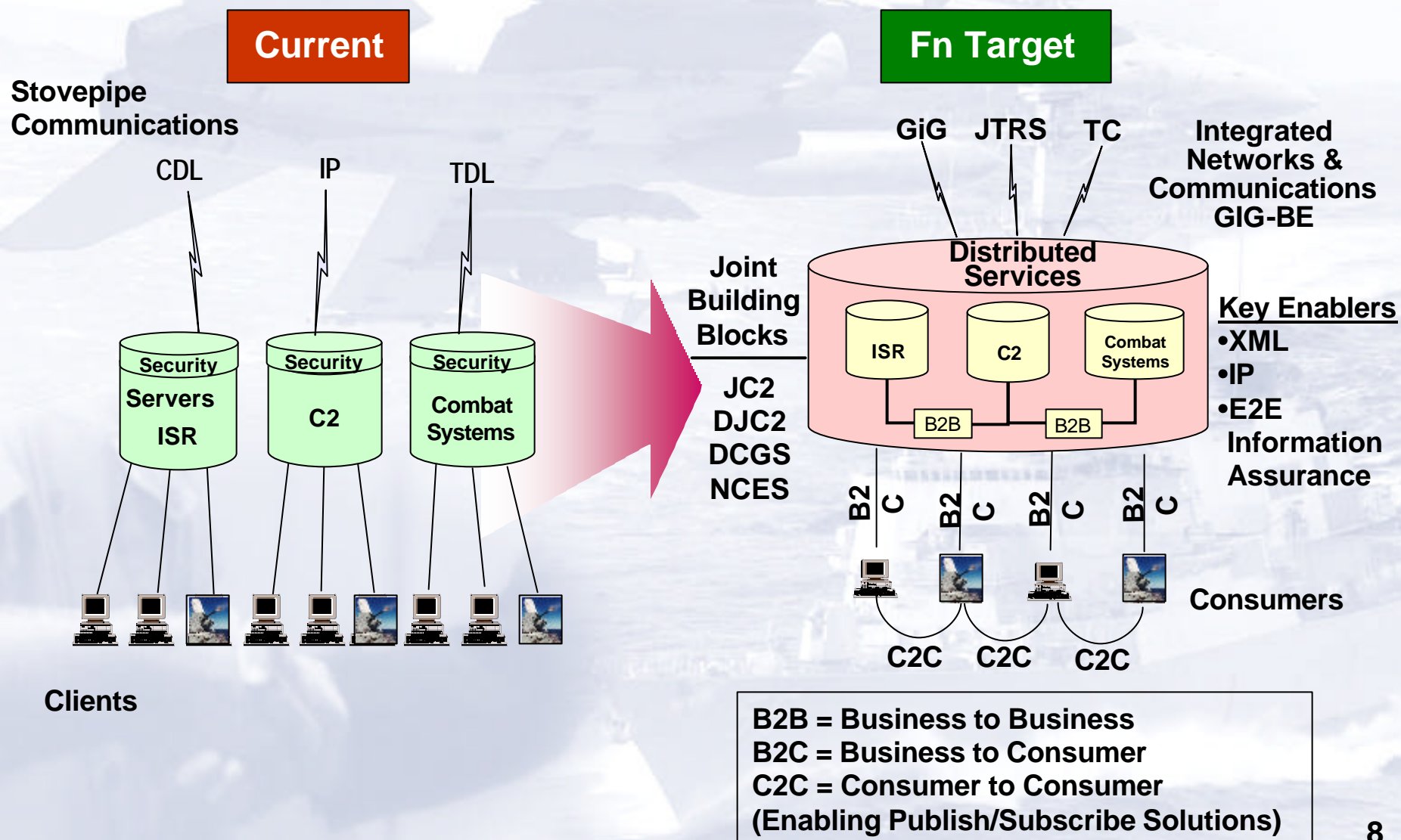
- Scalable

- Transforms doctrine, organization, technology, leadership, personnel, facilities, e.g. warfighting capability into globally networked distributed combat force.





Push to a Common Environment





FORCEnet Elements

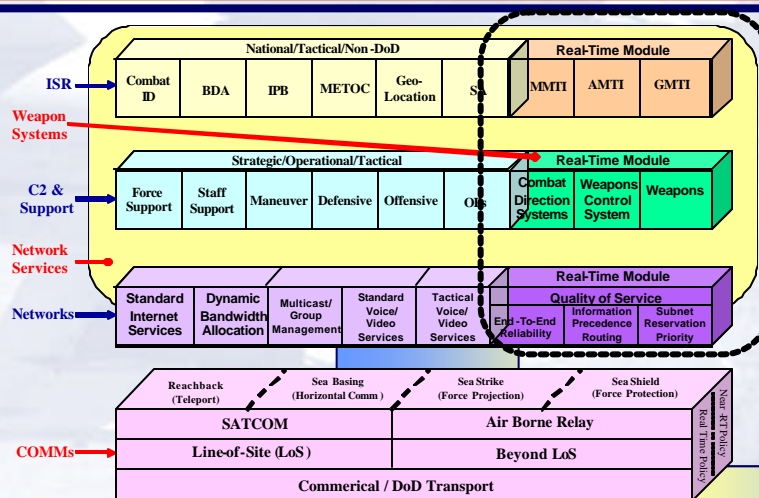
- ***“Composeability” -- The ability to select “on the fly” from a vast network, the specific information resources which are best suited to solving a particular problem or providing specific information.***
- ***“On the fly” -- Sources will change with the information needs of the scenario.***
- ***Distributed Networks***





FORCEnet – Open Architecture Convergence

FORCEnet Architecture

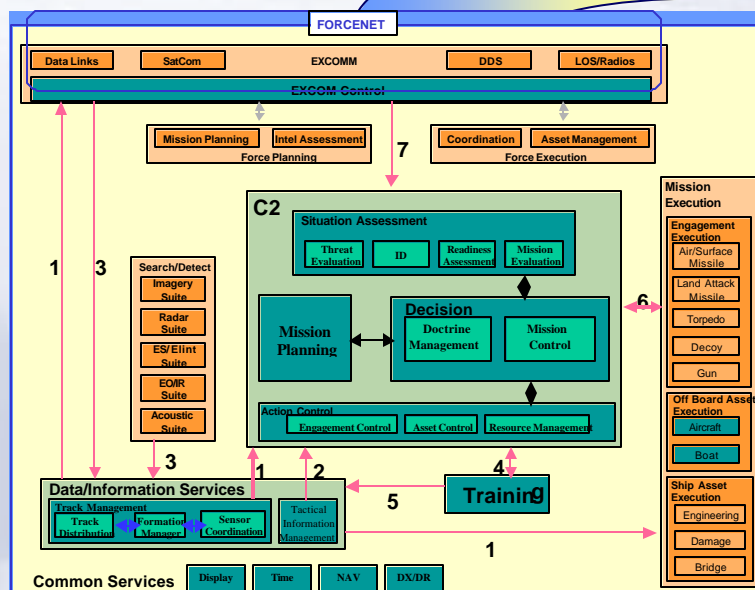


Real-Time Domain

Proposed FY04 Design Guidance Document

- Relate Functional Architectures
- Relate Technical Architecture/OACE
- State Compliance Criteria
- Serve as Basis for Pilot Implementation and Future Integrated Architecture Document

OA Functional Architecture OA Computing Environment



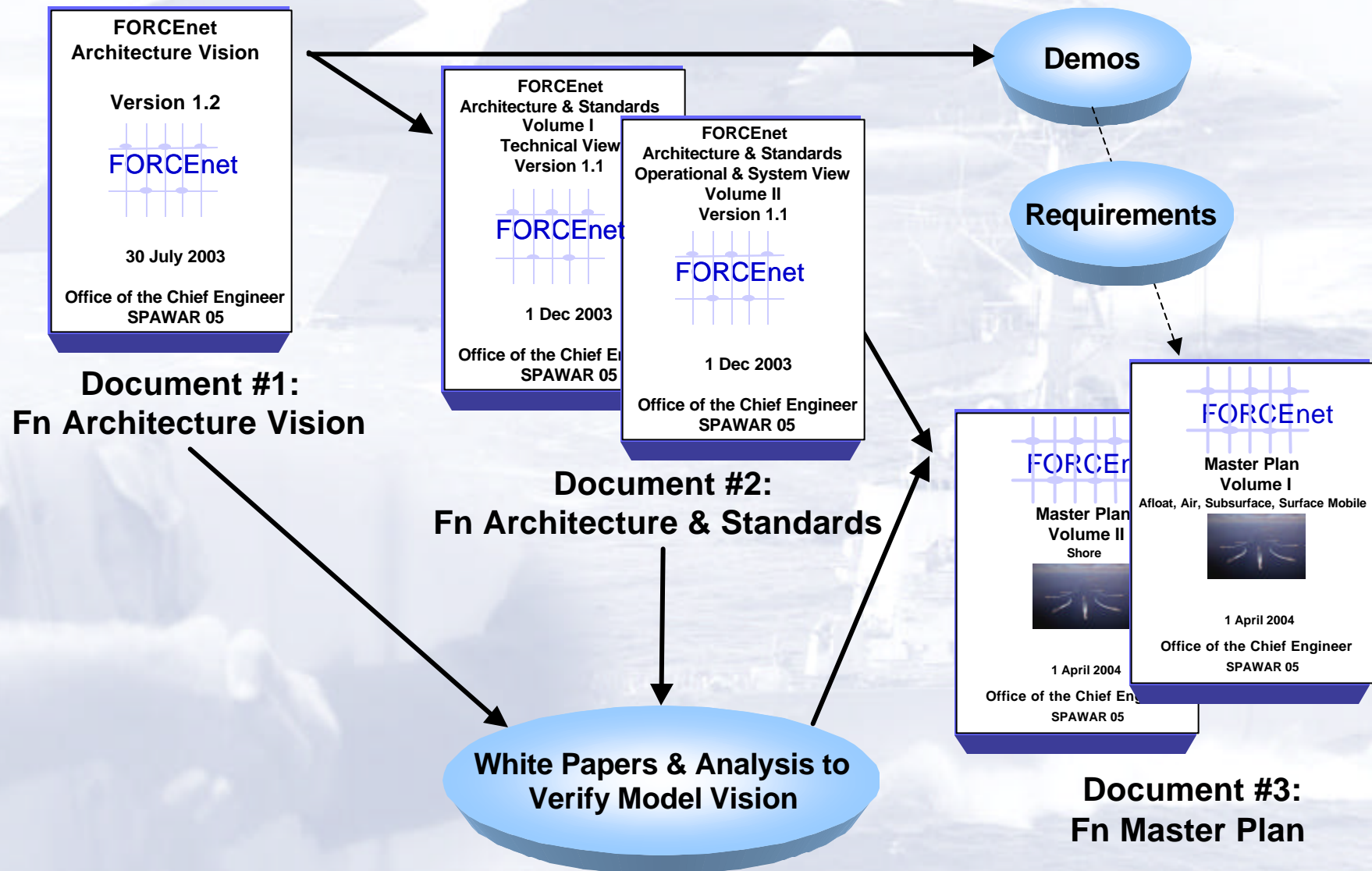


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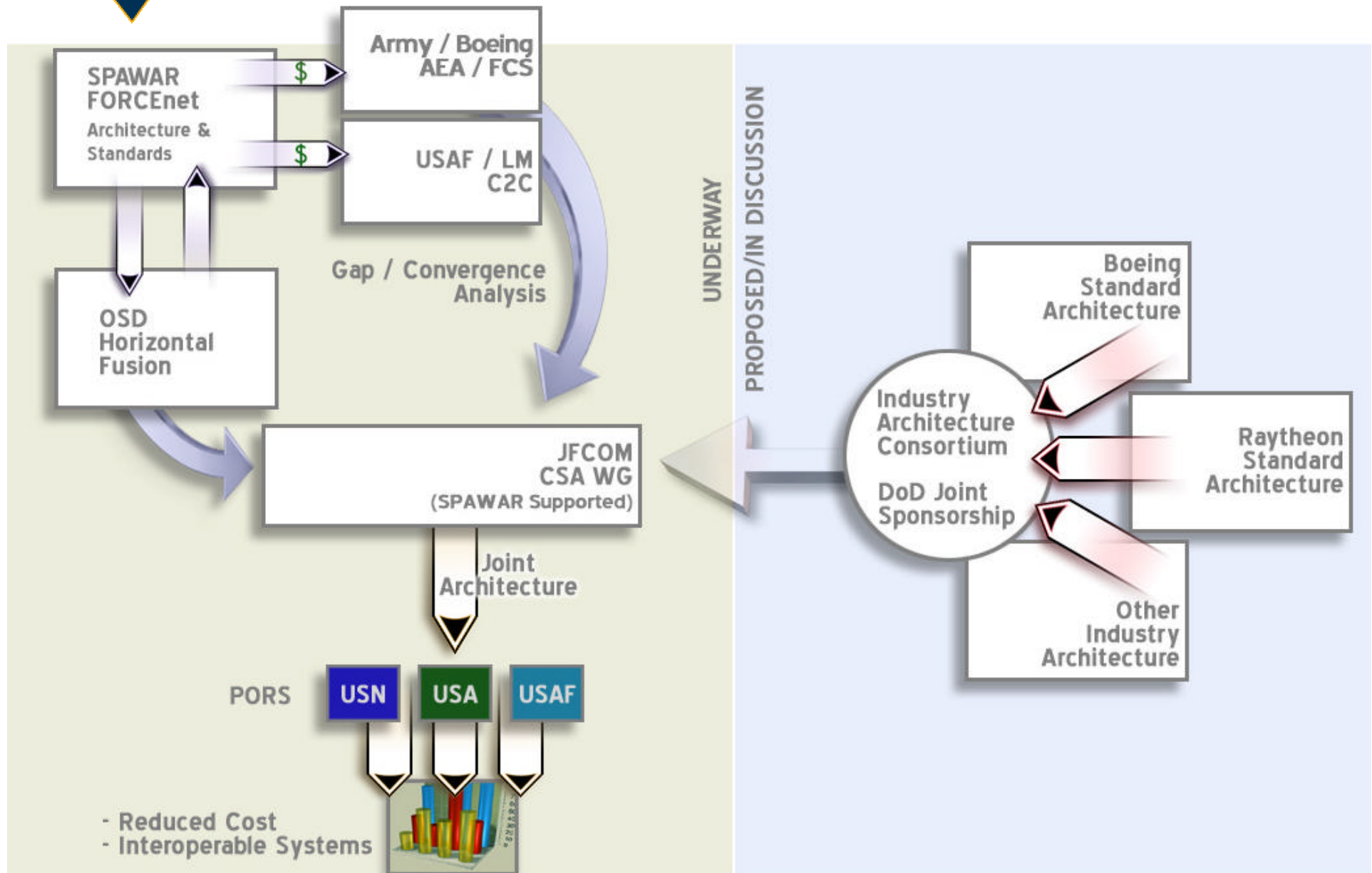


Architecture Products



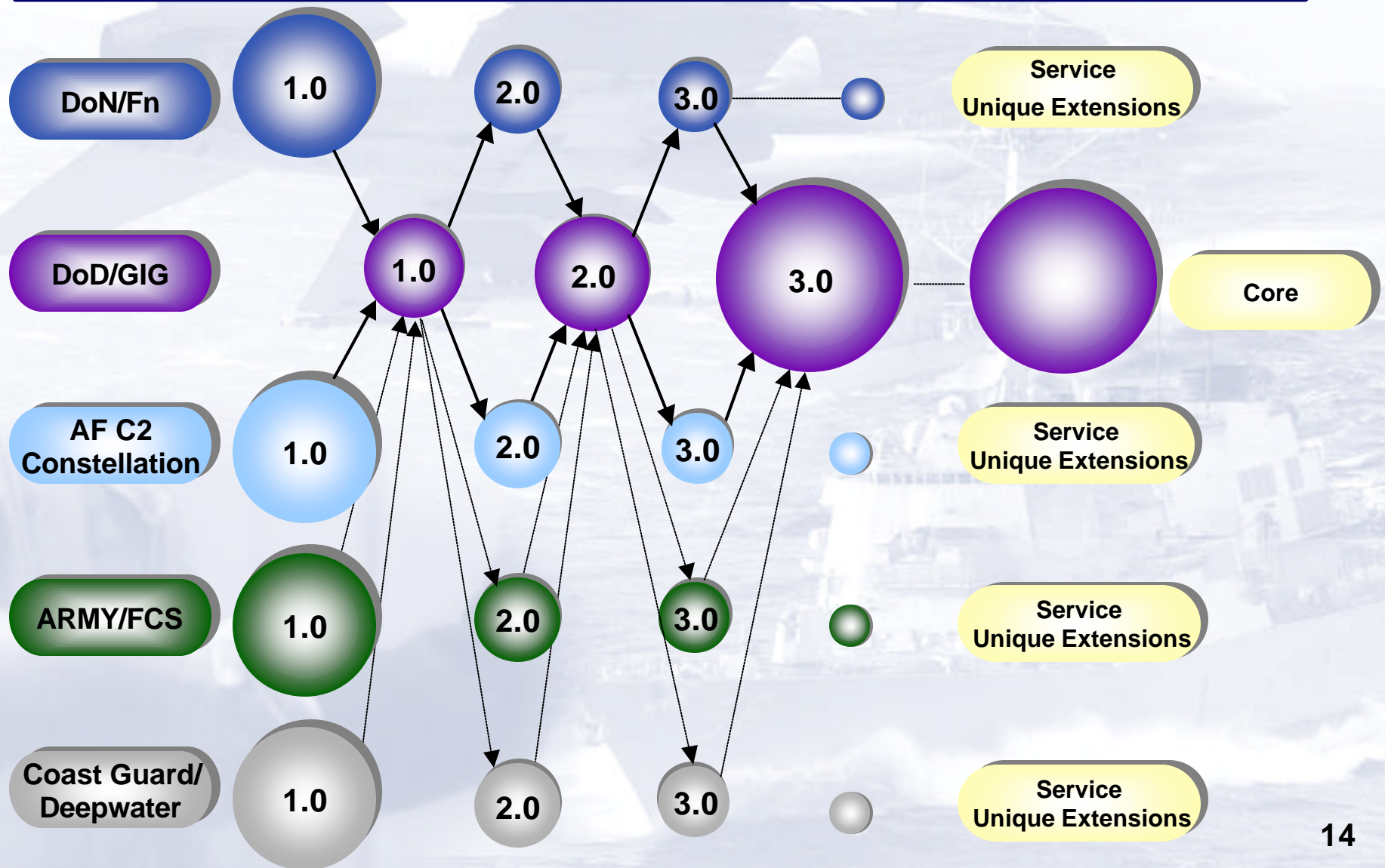


Joint Architecture & Standards Convergence Initiatives





FORCEnet Convergence with GLG



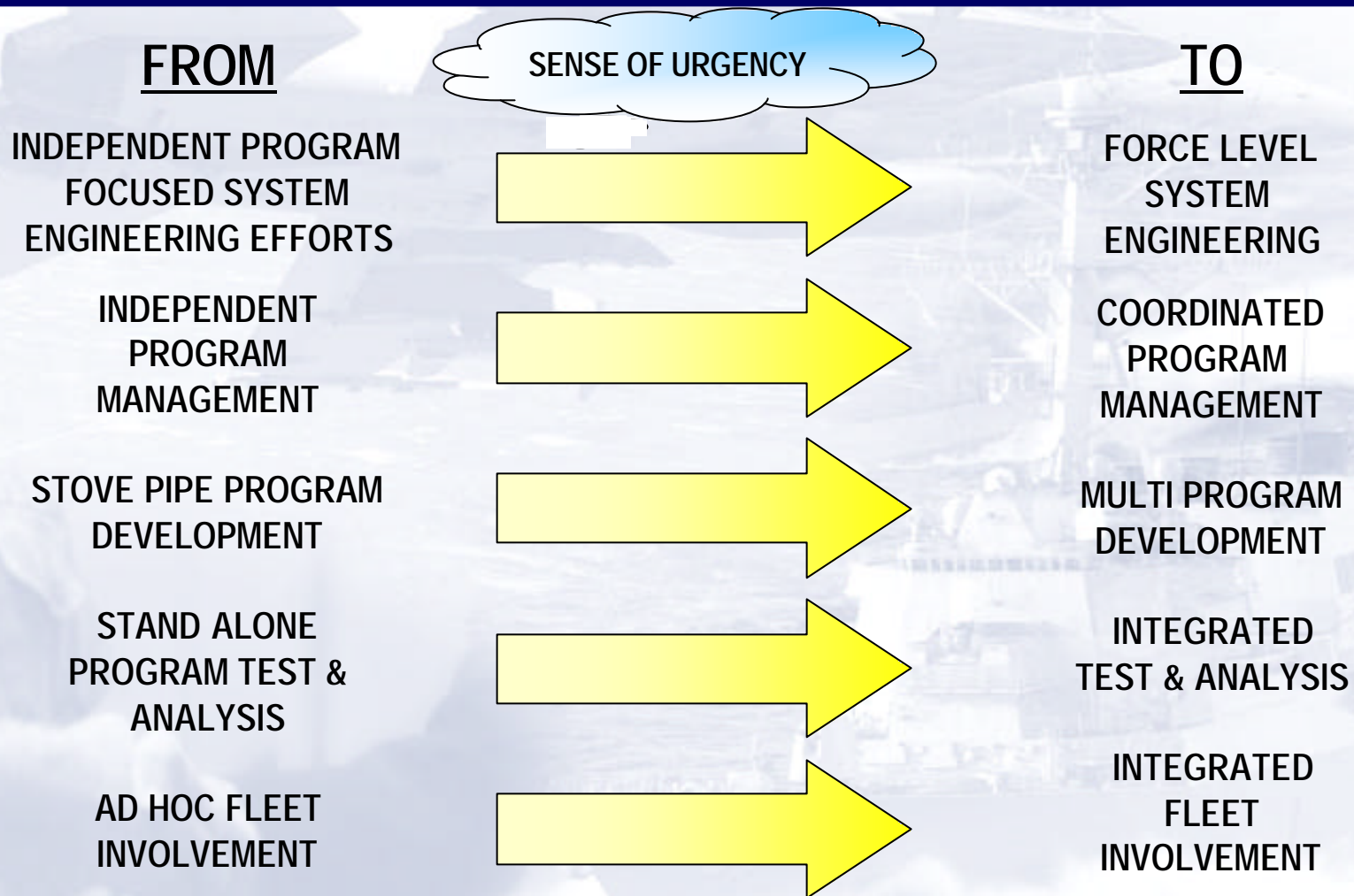


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Today's Acquisition Challenge



Without Abandoning Engineering Rigor



Capability-Based Acquisition

- Elevates systems engineering to the Family of Systems / System of Systems (FoS/SoS) level
- Creates capability-based acquisition portfolios as basis for FoS/SoS system engineering
- Implements Naval Capability Evolution Process with participation from acquisition, resourcing and operational communities
- Assesses progress and risk of delivering capability at portfolio level

Combines Capability Focus of Warfighter with Evolutionary Acquisition in a Netted Systems Environment



Technical Authority (TA)

- **TA Working Group established**
 - **Develop a consistent TA methodology for use by all SYSCOM's**
 - Single structure for FORCEnet, Combat System, and Air, Land, and Sea Platforms
 - **Leverage best practices from NAVSEA, NAVAIR, MARCORPSYCOM**
 - **Use technical expertise from all the SYSCOM's**
 - **FORCEnet Architecture and Standards Documentation to serve as the touchstone**
- **Initial FORCEnet TA Guide released May 2004**



Naval Acquisition Community Policy for Implementing FORCEnet Capability

- Acquisition Program Managers shall modify their acquisition strategy to achieve the objective FORCENET capability for Information sharing, Collaboration, Decision making
- Material support and Scientific Research Programs shall develop a FORCEnet implementation plan with the same objective
- Program managers shall facilitate FORCEnet implementation by using:
 - Fn Consolidated Capabilities Checklist (Fn CCC)
 - Fn Implementation Baseline (Fn IBL)
 - Fn Implementation Process



Challenge to Industry

Network Centric Operations Industry Consortium: Vision

"Industry working together with our customers to provide a Network Centric environment where all classes of information systems interoperate by integrating existing and emerging open standards into a common evolving global framework that employs a common set of principles and processes."

A necessary step, but

Must embrace SoS/FoS Systems Engineering Approach:

- Invest in Collaborative Capabilities
- Implement a means of sharing design data

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